

BEFORE THE  
OFFICE OF ADMINISTRATIVE HEARINGS  
STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of:

PARENT ON BEHALF OF STUDENT,

v.

LOS ANGELES UNIFIED SCHOOL  
DISTRICT AND ANIMO PHILLIS  
WHEATLEY CHARTER SCHOOL.

OAH Case No. 2016030015

ORDER GRANTING MOTION TO  
AMEND COMPLAINT

On February 24, 2016, Student filed a Due Process Hearing Request (complaint) with the Office of Administrative Hearings, naming Los Angeles Unified School District. On April 5, 2016, Student filed a Motion to Amend the Due Process Hearing Request (amended complaint) to add Animo Phillis Wheatley Charter School as a party. No opposition was received from Los Angeles or Animo Phillis Wheatley.

An amended complaint may be filed when either (a) the other party consents in writing and is given the opportunity to resolve the complaint through a resolution session, or (b) the hearing officer grants permission, provided the hearing officer may grant such permission at any time more than five (5) days prior to the due process hearing. (20 U.S.C. §1415(c)(2)(E)(i).) The filing of an amended complaint restarts the applicable timelines for the due process hearing. (20 U.S.C. §1415(c)(2)(E)(ii).)

The motion to amend is timely and is granted. The amended complaint shall be deemed filed on the date of this order. All applicable timelines shall be reset as of the date of this order. If parties wish to keep the present hearing dates of June 28 – 30, 2016, they will need to submit a continuance request. OAH will issue a scheduling order with the new dates.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DATE: April 11, 2016

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*Peter Paul Castillo*

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PETER PAUL CASTILLO

Presiding Administrative Law Judge  
Office of Administrative Hearings